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For: POINT MANAGEMENT METHOD,  
MANAGEMENT COMPUTER, COMPUTER  
READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM, AND  
COMPUTER DATA SIGNAL

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated August 20, 2009, for which a response is due on November 20, 2009. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

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